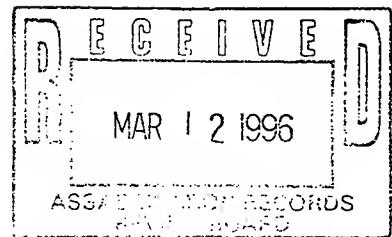


FILE COPY



James J. Humes, M.D.
5 Spy Glass Lane
Ponte Vedra Beach, FL 32082
(904) 285-6541
Fax (904) 273-8571

March 11, 1996.

*T. Jeremy Gunn,
Assassination Records Review Board,
600 E. Street NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC, 20530.*

Dear Mr. Gunn,

I am returning herewith the transcript of my deposition before the Board on Feb. 13, 1996. In my review I found the following minor errors:

- Page 22, l21 "Peter" shoulg be "Pierre".*
- Page 32, l1 "Picture" should be "Pictures".*
- Page 43, l5 "Roof" should be "Windshield".*
- Page 62, l10 "thera—" should be "therapists".*
- Page 80, l15 "to" should be "on"*
- Page 120, l10 delete the "s" in anywheres.*

With regard to the changes which you have suggested in the printed transcript, I agree with all of them.

With regard to your four final questions, I make the following response. Both during my testimony before the House Select Committee on Assassinations, and during this disposition I experienced great difficulty in interpreting the location of the wound of entrance in the posterior scalp from the photograph. This may be because of the angle from which it was taken, or the position of the head, etc. It is obvious that the location of the external occipital protuberance cannot be ascertained from the photograph. I most firmly believe that the location of the wound was exactly where I measured it to be in relation to the external occipital protuberance and so recorded it in the autopsy report. After all that was my direct observation in the morgue and I believe it to be far more reliable than attempting to interpret what I believe to be a photograph which is subject to various interpretations

I appreciated your courteous manner in conducting the deposition and will be available if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely

James J. Humes M.D.